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## TRANSMITTAL LETTER

In re Application of:  
FORBES, D. et al.

Serial No: 09/997,541

Filing Date: November 29, 2001

Title: PROCESS FOR VARIABLE APPLICATIONS  
OF COATING COMPOSITIONS WITH A  
THREE OR MORE PLURAL COMPONENT  
APPARATUSCommissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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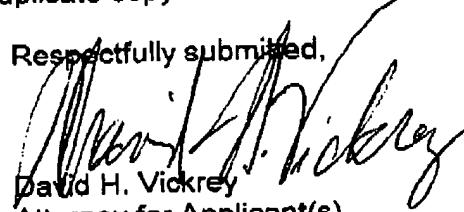
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Lynn Brush Transmitted herewith find the document(s) related to this application:

1. TRANSMITTAL LETTER IN DUPLICATE;
2. RESPONSE AND AMENDMENT;
3. CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE

Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136 of:  
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The total fee believed due is \$1020.00. Please charge this amount and any other fees which may be due (including filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17) to Deposit Account No. 01-1350. If an extension of time is required but has not been requested above, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time sufficient for the attached document(s) to be timely. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,



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Lynn BrushINTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action of September 6, 2005, the following  
amendments and remarks are submitted for entry in the above referenced application.

The Applicants also acknowledge with appreciation the telephone interview the  
Examiner conducted with the undersigned to clarify the outstanding Office Action.